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CATAWBA VALLEY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ACCEPTING GRANT APPLICATIONS

The board of advisors of the Catawba Valley Community Foundation is currently accepting grant requests for community projects funded from its Community Endowment according to Grey Scheer, Chair of the CVCF Grants Committee.

Nonprofit organizations serving general charitable needs in Alexander, Caldwell, and Catawba counties are eligible to apply. Grants from the Community Endowment have typically ranged from \$500 -- \$2,000. Applications are available online only. Visit nccommunityfoundation.org for information about applying online. The deadline for submitting applications is Tuesday, August 20.

The Catawba Valley Community Foundation is an affiliate of the North Carolina Community Foundation. The Community Endowment was established to help support local charitable needs through annual grants. In addition to Scheer, Catawba Valley Community Foundation board members are: John Orgain, Chair; Roseanna Brown, Vice Chair; Nancy Fritz, Secretary; Shuford Abernethy, Alex Bernhardt, Jr., Hunt Broyhill, Bob Floyd, Kimberly George, Kristi Moretz-Icard, Dennis Smart, Jimmy Summerlin, John Teeter, Stephen Thomas, and Bruce Vanderbloemen.

Established in 1997, the Catawba Valley Community Foundation 50 endowment funds with total assets of nearly \$12 million.

For further information, contact any board member or NC Community Foundation Regional Associate, John Francis, at 828-328-1237, or visit the NCCF website at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the North Carolina Community Foundation:

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has made nearly \$68 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With more than \$156 million in assets, the NCCF sustains over 1,000 funds and endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with 60 affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance in 67 counties across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels. For more information, visit nccommunityfoundation.org and Facebook and follow us on Twitter @NCCF.

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